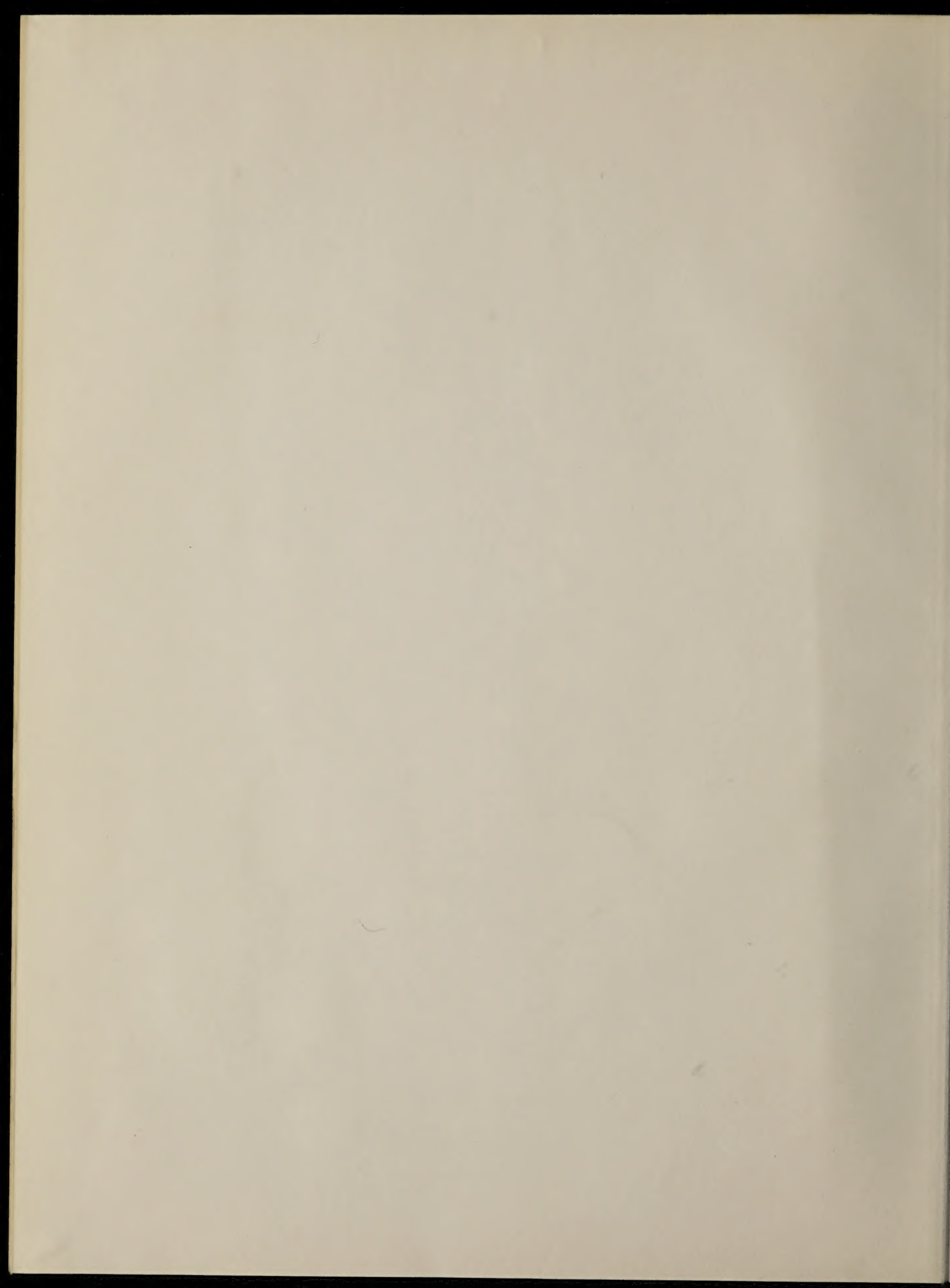


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Robert Greenough, of Rowley, Massachusetts, by 1685

born,

1718.

died, March ^{30 (2)} or April, 1718, Rowley, Mass. Will made March 28, probated Apr. 21, ^

mar. (1) by 1682, probably in or near Ipswich, Mass.

Martha Epes (Daniel, Daniel), of Ipswich, Mass.

born, 1654, Ipswich, Mass.

died, 1686 or 1687, probably in Rowley, Mass.

mar. (2) March 6, 1688, Rowley, Mass.

Widow Sarah (Phillips) Mighill (Rev. Samuel, George), of Rowley, Mass.

born, March 7, 1656, Rowley, Mass.

died, by 1709, Rowley, Mass.

mar. (3) intent, April 29, 1710, Rowley, Mass.

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Mary Daniels

born,

died,

She mar. (2), Oct. 23, 1719, Rowley, "Mr. Richard Syle," schoolmaster, who died Feb. 22, 1722, Rowley.

Children, eldest born Ipswich, others in Rowley, Mass.:

Robert, b. February 28, 1683; d. before March 28, 1718, Newbury, Mass.;

m. January 20, 1705, Newbury, Mass., Hannah Dole, of Newbury

Daniel, b. February 22, 1686; d. April 25, 1746, Bradford, Mass.; m. (1) Dec. 16,

1708, Newcastle, N. H., Abigail Elliott; (2) Jan. 25, 1722, ^{widow} Elizabeth Hatch

Elizabeth, b. December 1, 1688; d. ~~probably before March 28, 1718;~~

m. November 17, 1710, Rowley, Thomas Kimball, ^{of Bradford, Mass. & later of Lunenburg, Mass.}

Mary, b. September 17, 1696; d. after Sept. 5, 1726, (when dau. Ann Mittlebury born in Newcastle, N. H.); m. June 18, 1722, Rowley, Enoch Mittlebury

John, b. June 16, 1712; d.

m. intent, April 11, 1732, Boston, Mass., Dorothy Frost

"Robert Greenough, Rowley, 1685, was made town clerk 1691, had, perhaps, a family, but details unknown." - Savage's Gen. Dict.

Essex Institute, vol. 4, page 224, year 1662:- "A Copy of the First Book of Births, of the Town of Rowley, with Notes." Communicated by M. A. Stickney.

"Mary Greenough the daughter of Robert & Sarah borne the seventeenth of September 1696.

"Of the History of Robert Greenough, Recorder, from 1690 to 1693, nothing appears to be known previous to his marriage, in Rowley, to Sarah, the widow of Stephen Mighell, March 6, 1688. She was the daughter of the Rev. Sam'l Phillips, Colleague of Rev. Ezekiel Rogers, and she was born 1st month, 7th day, 1656, and married first Stephen Mighell Nov. 3, 1680.

"Mr. Greenough appears to have been married before, and by wife Martha had children: Robert, born Feb., last day, 1682/3, and Daniell, born Feb. 22, 1685/6, and he soon after becoming recorder, placed their births on the Records of Rowley. He was not a resident in 1677, but in 1691, he was one of the Selectmen, and he paid a good tax that year.

"He wrote a good modern hand, and, in the Records of his children, took unusual care to make it distinct. By wife widow Sarah Mighell he had children, Elizabeth, born Dec. 1, 1688, and Mary, b. Sept. 17, 1696.

"An intention of marriage was published between Robert Greenough, Senior, and Mary Daniels, April 29, 1710. They had child recorded, John, born June 16, 1712.

"His eldest son, Robert, intended marriage with Hannah Dole, Jan. 20, 1705. They had child, Daniel, born March 25, 1707.

"Mr. Richard Syle and Mrs. Mary Greenough intends Marriage October 17, 1719, and were married October 23, 1719.

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"Although I see no account of the death of Robert Greenough, Senior, still, I suppose, from the prefix, that this Mary Greenough might have been his widow, Richard Cyle being the schoolmaster of Rowley, and a man of advanced age.

"The name soon disappeared from Rowley, the family probably removing to Bradford, where his descendants may now live."

Rowley, Mass., History, pub. 1840, page 34:- In 1708, "leave was granted to Samuel Prime, Mark Prime, Samuel Lancaster, and Robert Greenough, to build themselves a pew in the north corner of the meeting-house, in the gallery, and another for their wives in the easterly corner, in the gallery. These were the first pews, except the minister's, that were built in this church."

Ancestry of Martha (Epes) Greenough, first wife of Robert Greenough:- See "The Hammett Papers. No. I. The Early Inhabitants of Ipswich, Mass., 1633 - 1700. By Abraham Hammett, 1854. Printed (Quarterly), 1880." Page 95, Epes; page 355, Symonds. Also, "Ancestry of Ebenezer Greenough," by Franklin Platt, pub. 1895. Martha was the daughter of Captain Daniel and Elizabeth (Symonds) Epes of Ipswich, Mass., and granddaughter of Daniel and Martha (Road) Epes, he of England and she of England and Ipswich, Mass. Elizabeth (Symonds) Epes, born Dec. 22, 1624, Toppesfield Parish, County Essex, England, was the daughter of Deputy Governor Samuel Symonds of Massachusetts Bay Colony by his first wife, Dorothy Harlakenden, and therefore is said to be proved "of royal descent". The widow Martha (Road) Epes became the second wife of Deputy Governor Symonds, after both had come from England to Ipswich, Mass.

From the "Hammett Papers":- "Epes, Captain Daniel, 1, is said by Farmer to have been the son of Daniel Epes of Kent, England, and to have come with his mother, who married Dep. Gov. Symonds. ... He married Elizabeth, daughter of the Hon. Samuel Symonds, May 20, 1644, and had, according to Farmer, eleven children, whose names and dates of birth are given from 1647 to 1659. This list does not contain the name of his son Symonds, who was born about 1662, and survived him. One other of his children, Daniel, ... only survived him. ... His wife Elizabeth died May 7, 1635; (gravestone inscription) 'Here lies ye Body of Mrs. Elizabeth Epes, (wife of Capt. Daniel Epes, Esq'r,) who died May ye 7th, 1635. Aged about 61 years.' After her death, he married Lucy, daughter of Rev. John Woodbridge, and widow of Rev. Simon Bradstreet. He died 1692; (gravestone inscription) 'Here Lyes Buried ye Body of Capt. Daniel Epes, Esquire, who died January ye 3h, 1692, aged about 70 years.'

"His property consisting principally of the Castle Hill Neck Estate, which he purchased Dec. 1, 1634, of his father-in-law Symonds, was appraised at 1411 pounds, 5 shillings, and was divided Jan. 1, 1633 into four shares, which were assigned to the heirs as follows: To Daniel the eldest son, two shares; the Homestead called Castle Hill, 130 acres ... To Major Symonds Epes, the 'whole island, in another record called the 'hole island,' containing about 100 acre, near Castle Hill, ... To Robert Greenough and Daniel Greenough, grand-children of said Daniel Epes, Esquire, one hundred pounds apiece. ... To Lucy Epes, relict, one hundred pounds." The son Daniel, 1649 - 1722, Harvard graduate 1669, member of the "executive council"; resided at Salem, where he was a schoolmaster. The son Symonds, a Major, was a Justice of the Court of Sessions, and a member of the Governor's Council ten years.

From the "Hammett Papers":- (Gives births of children of Samuel and Dorothy Symonds, copied from Register of Toppesfield Parish, including birth of Elizabeth, Dec. 22, 1624. As shown elsewhere, the first wife, Dorothy Harlakenden, died in 1636, and Samuel Symonds came to Massachusetts the next year with five children.) "Samuel Symonds was among the most distinguished of the first settlers of Ipswich. He was descended from an ancient and honourable family in Yildham, Essex, where he had good estate. He was born in 1595. He married (1) Dorothaea Harlackenden in 1620. ... His second wife was Martha Epes,

widow, daughter of Edmund Reade, of Wicksford, Kent;

"Mr. Symonds took the freeman's oath at Boston, March 1637/8. He had previously, viz., Sept. 3, 1637, purchased of Mr. Henry Sewall a dwelling house which stood near where the Female Academy now stands. " (The three acre lot abutted on "the Meeting-house Green".) In 1638 is recorded: "Granted by the freemen of the town of Ipswich to Samuel Symonds, Ipswich, in New England, Gent, a farm of five hundred acres ... since called Argilla; ... Also a planting of six acres, ... also, that parcel .. not exceeding forty acres." "Said Symonds is also possessed of a farm containing about" 320 acres. Sept. 24, 1667, the Judges of the Court were: Mr. Samuel Symonds, Mr. Symon Bradstreet, Maj. Gen. Denison, Maj. William Hathorne.

"Mr. Symonds was Representative from 1638 to 1643; when he was elected one of the Magistrates or Assistants, which office he sustained thirty years. In 1673 he was chosen Deputy Governor, in which office he remained until his decease, October, 1678." He left wife, Rebecca (his third wife); sons Harlakenden and William; daughters, Elizabeth, wife of Daniel Eppes; Martha, widow of John Denison; Ruth, wife of Rev. John Emerson of Gloucester; Priscilla, wife of Thomas Baker of Topsfield. His will is dated Feb. 16, 1673; proved Nov. 6, 1678. It mentions "my loving brother, Mr. Richard Fitts Symonds."

A provision in the will that is of special interest to descendants of his daughter Elizabeth (Symonds) Eppes is the following: "To sonne and daughter Eppes, one hundred pounds promised before marriage, to be paid in one year or two, after my decease; and if she still desires to have the suit of damask which was the Lady Cheynies, her grandmother, let her have it upon appraise-ment." - Did she take the "suit of damask" which had been her grandmother's and if so is it still in existence?

Ipswich had an excellent Grammar School that sent Elizabeth (Symonds) Eppes' brother Samuel to Harvard, and also her sons Samuel and Daniel, the later called "a famous schoolmaster in Salem for many years." Elizabeth's son-in-law, Robert Greenough, "wrote a good modern hand" as town clerk of Rowley; was he also an Ipswich grammar school student?

Sarah (Phillips) Highill Greenough, second wife of Robert Greenough: - For the sake of making clear some relationships mentioned in old deeds which concern Robert Greenough, it is worth while to understand the relationships of his second wife. As noted, she was the daughter of Rev. Samuel Phillips of Rowley, who died there in 1696; by his wife, Sarah Appleton, (daughter of Samuel of Ipswich), who died in Rowley in 1714. Rev. Edward Payson was the fourth minister in Rowley (died there 1732), and in 1633 he married Rev. Samuel Phillips' daughter Elizabeth; and Elizabeth's sister Mary married Samuel Payson in 1633. In one deed, Robert Greenough styles Rev. Edward Payson his "brother", meaning that their wives were sisters. Robert also refers in a deed to his "honored father", meaning father-in-law.⁽¹⁾ Rev. Samuel Phillips had a son George who deeded property to his brothers-in-law Edward Payson and Robert Greenough, that George had been willed by his father, apparently the use to remain with George's mother during her life time.

Sarah (Phillips) Highill Greenough married (1) Nov. 3, 1630, Stephen Highill, of Rowley, who died April 16, 1637. They had three children: Sarah, Nathaniel, and Anne, who all lived to marry. The son Nathaniel was doubtless the Capt. Nathaniel Highill who died in 1762 in his 73th year; and he was probably the Nathaniel Highill selected for a guardian by John² Greenough (Robert) when he was fifteen years old. A legal paper of about 1696 concerns property that would be inherited by these three Highill children, and names Robert Greenough as "father" (I think that was the term used).

Mary (Daniels) Greenough Sykes, third wife of Robert Greenough: Nothing has easily come to light about her ancestry.

The first of these is the fact that the...
...the second is the fact that the...
...the third is the fact that the...

The fourth is the fact that the...
...the fifth is the fact that the...
...the sixth is the fact that the...
...the seventh is the fact that the...
...the eighth is the fact that the...

The ninth is the fact that the...
...the tenth is the fact that the...
...the eleventh is the fact that the...

The twelfth is the fact that the...
...the thirteenth is the fact that the...
...the fourteenth is the fact that the...
...the fifteenth is the fact that the...
...the sixteenth is the fact that the...
...the seventeenth is the fact that the...
...the eighteenth is the fact that the...
...the nineteenth is the fact that the...
...the twentieth is the fact that the...

The twenty-first is the fact that the...
...the twenty-second is the fact that the...
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...the twenty-fifth is the fact that the...

The twenty-sixth is the fact that the...
...the twenty-seventh is the fact that the...
...the twenty-eighth is the fact that the...

Deeds: June 22, 1700, George Phillips (Rev. Samuel) deeded property to his brothers-in-law, Edward Payson and Robert Greenough. - April 5, 1701 (vol. 21, p. 141) Essex Co., Mass., recorded deeds), Mr. Edward Payson of Rowley, Mr. Samuel Phillips of Salem, and Mr. Robert Greenough of Rowley deeded 400 acres in the township of Bradford, "see records of town of Rowley", to Abraham Parker of Chelmsford, for 253 pounds. The land had belonged to Mr. Samuel Phillips, and his widow, Sarah, had some rights in it, and probably the full rights in it, and full pay, were to come after her decease. Samuel Phillips was her oldest living son. - June 27, 1703 (vol. 26, p. 24), Robert Greenough of Rowley, weaver, deeded for an unnamed sum paid "by my brother Mr. Edward Payson" of Rowley, Clerk, all right in the "Estate given to Mr. George Phillips by his bond father in his last will sd Edward and I the said Robert having purchased the whole of said George his Rights in Reversion" see George's deed of 22 June, 1700. "Before Signing and Sealing these words were interlined in the ninth line (by his honoured father) Robert Greenough & a Seale." June 25, 1711, "Mr. Robert Greenough personally appeared and acknowledged" his signature. (Note: Considering the date of the words "(by his honoured father)", followed by the signature of Robert Greenough, the statement is somewhat puzzling. If it really referred to Robert's own father, it is the only known reference to his existence in America; and how could it have referred to either father-in-law, both then dead, and the third wife not then married? That the deed was not given by Robert, Junior, seems settled by the words, "by my brother Mr. Edward Payson". Could the words have meant Edward Payson's father?). This deed was recorded Jan. 12, 1712/3. Very probably Sarah (Phillips) Mighill Greenough was dead before this deed was made. - March 25, 1690, petition of Ezekiel Mighill about the estate left by his father, Thomas, in which the three children of Stephen, deceased, brother of Ezekiel, will have some rights when they come of age. Reference is made to "their father, Mr. Robert Greenough", and to "Mr. Robert Greenough and his wife the mother of said children".

March 28, 1713 (vol. 312, p. 232) Robert Greenough, being sick, made his will; and it was presented for probating April 21, 1713, after his death, those presenting it declaring that they "saw Mr. Robert Greenough late of Rowley Deed" sign it. Mrs. George Anthony Lubbe, probably a descendant, has placed on record at the library of the New England Historic Gen. Society, that Robert died March 30, 1713, and very probably she found the record. It is clear that the sick Robert did not write his will, for in the body of it are the spellings, "Daniel Greenoo, Mary Greenoo, John Greeno," while it is signed, "Robert Greenough". Its provisions are: "To my Son Daniel Greenoo I Doe give five Shillings. - "To my Son Robert-heirs I Give five Shillings. - "To my Daughter Mary Greene" five Shillings. - "all remainder both Real & Person To my beloved Wife Mary during her naturall Life & To my Son John Greene att her Death. - If she Do not Dispose of It To my Son John Greene In her life Time". Wife to be executor. - At the time when this will was made the son John was only five years old, while Mary, next youngest, was twenty-one. The son Daniel was more than ordinarily prosperous. This shows that the son Robert was deceased; also borne out by the 1713 will of Robert Junior's father-in-law, William Dole, giving his daughter Hannah the "money that her husband did owe me." It seems probable that the daughter Elizabeth was also dead, since she was not named; and perhaps had no living descendant.

Dec. 25, 1727 (vol. 317, p. 14), R John Greenough, aged about 15 years, son of Robert Greenough, late of Rowley, selects Nathaniel Mighill of Rowley for guardian.

²
Robert Greenough (Robert), of Rowley and Newbury, Mass.

born, February 28, 1683, Ipswich, Mass.

died, probably 1717, before March 23, 1718, probably in Newbury, Mass.

mar. January 20, 1705, Newbury, Mass.

Hannah Dole (William, Richard), of Newbury, Mass.

born, March 28, 1685, Newbury, Mass.

1755.

died, Dec. 1754 or Jan. 1755, Newbury. Will made Nov. 26, 1754; probate Jan. 27,

She mar. (2) Oct. 18, 1725, Newbury, Richard Kelly, who d. June 18, 1734.

Children, perhaps all born Newbury except Samuel who was born in Rowley:

Daniel³, b. Nov. 5, 1705; d., after Nov. 26, 1754 - d. 1761/Salem N.H. before March 28-1761-

m. Feb. 20, 1728, Ipswich, Mass., Mary Allen

Samuel, b. March 25, 1707; d. Aug. 23, 1753, Newbury, Mass.

m. ~~Elizabeth~~ Elizabeth (Mitchell) Greenleaf, April 23, 1729, Kittery, Maine

Martha, b. order of birth unknown, probably third child; d. after Nov. 26, 1754;

m. probably (1) Nov. 17, 1724, Ipswich, Joseph Walker; (2) - Brown

Richard, bapt. July 22, 1711; d. after Nov. 26, 1754

m. July 20, 1733, Newbury, Mass., Hannah Sewall

Epes, bapt. July 22, 1711; d. after Nov. 26, 1754

m. intent, Dec. 11, 1730, Newbury, Mass., Margaret Moor of Kittery

Robert, b. Nov. 21, 1712; d. after Nov. 26, 1754 - d. 1767, Plaistow, N.H. probably d. Dec. or Nov.

m. Nov. 27, 1735, Newbury, Mass., Edna Knight

William, b. May 2, 1714; d. before Nov. 26, 1754

m. I doubt his being the William who m. 1749, Judith Chase

Moses, b. April 30, 1717; d. before Nov. 26, 1754

m. I

Nov. 26, 1754 (vol. 332, p. 502, Essex Co. probate), Hannah Kelly of Newbury, widow, made her will; probated Jan. 27, 1755. She gave "First" "to my four Sons, Daniel Richard, Epes & Robert Greenough, all my wearing apparel to be equally divided between them." "to my daughter Martha Brown my hair-ring, wherein is inclos'd a lock of her fathers hair" - "to my daughter in Law Elizabeth Kingsbury the Sum of Forty shillings" which she had already had - "to my Grand-daughter Mary Greenough, daughter of my Son Samuel the Sum of forty Shillings" (which she also had already had) - my Son Richard Greenough sole executor. - This will gives the first knowledge that there was a daughter; and since Hannah Kelly had no children by her second husband, it proves the daughter was Martha Greenough (named doubtless for the child's paternal grandmother, Martha Epes Greenough). It seems practically sure that this Martha was the Martha Greenough who married Nov. 17, 1724, Ipswich, Joseph Walker. The marriage took place in the same church where Daniel Greenough (Robert, Robert) married Mary Allen, and where several of his children were baptized. Before widow Hannah Kelly's will showed that she had a daughter Martha, it has been puzzling to know who the Martha Greenough of the 1724 marriage to Joseph Walker could be. - Joseph and Martha Walker had the following children baptized in the Ipswich church: Richard, Joseph, William, John, Martha. Then in Dec. 1741, a son of widow Walker was baptized. Almost surely this was Martha³ Greenough (Robert), and after the death of her first husband, Joseph Walker, she married - Brown.

The March 15, 1733/4 will of Richard Kelly seemed to leave ample provision for "my loving & well-beloved Wife Hannah Kelly". She was his second wife, and he had no children by either wife. He had considerable property.

William Dole's will, made 1713 (date not noted but must have been January since he died Jan. 29, 1713), states: "I having given my Daughter Hannah Considerable already- I Doe further give my said Daughter Hannah all yt her husband did owe mee, & also five pounds more which is to be in full of her portion." Hannah's mother was Mary Brocklebank, dau. of Dea. and Capt. Samuel.

July 8, 1725 (vol. 24, p. 125, Suffolk Co., Mass.). Newbury, ... "I Esq Greeno a Minor aged upwards of fourteen years Son of Robert Greeno late of Newbury ... Clothier Deceased ... Have named ... the Honble Sirmonds Esq of Ipswich Esq. to be my Guardian". Signed by "Esq Greeno", who appeared in Boston and acknowledged his signature.

Captain Daniel² Greenough (Robert), of Newcastle, N. H., and Bradford, Mass.
born, February 22, 1686, Rowley, Mass.

died, April 25, 1746, Bradford, Mass.

mar. (1), December 16, 1703, Newcastle, N. H.

Abigail Elliott (Hon. Robert), of Newcastle, N. H.

born,

died, June 5, 1719, Newcastle, N. H.

mar. (2), January 25, 1722, Portsmouth, N. H.

Elizabeth Hatch, widow of Samuel Hatch of Portsmouth, N. H.

born, 1692

died, December 3, 1765, Bradford, Mass., aged 73.

Children, born Newcastle, N. H.:

Sarah, b. June 31 (?), 1710; d. after March 15, 1743 *d. after June 26-1758*
m. - Robins. *She was a widow in 1749, m. Portsmouth, N. H.*

Robert, b. Sept. 1, 1712; d. before May 16, 1737, Boston, Mass., probably;

He was "Dr. Robert Greenough of Boston;" probably unmarried

Daniel, b. Aug. 13, 1714; d. probably before March 15, 1745, not mentioned in his father's will of that date

Abigail, ~~widow of Daniel~~; d. after March 15, 1745 *after June 26-1758*
m. - Colefoot ~~x~~ *m. Jonathan Colefoot of New Castle in 1749*

Nathaniel, b. February 11, 1719; d. after March 15, 1745 *after Feb. 19-1749*

m. ?

Symonds, b. November 9, 1722; d. January 1793, Haverhill, Mass., "ae 76"

m. by 1743, ~~Abigail~~ Abigail Chadwick

William, b. May 2, 1724; d. after March 15, 1745

m. Jan. 12, 1748, Bradford, Mass., Hannah Atwood

John, b. March 17, 1726; d. after March 15, 1745

m. ?

Benjamin, b.

m. Jan. 6, 1756, Bradford, Mass., Susanna Burbank

Samuel, b.

m. June 26, 1753, Bradford, Mass., Susanna Dalley

James, b.

m. Dec. 13, 1753, Newbury, Mass., Mary Jacques of Newbury

Captain Daniel Greenough was a prominent man in Newcastle, N. H., where he married Abigail, daughter of the prominent Robert Elliott. Elliott was a representative in the last assembly of colonial Maine, and in 1716 eldest in the council of New Hampshire; he "held many important town and provincial offices in his day." Nov. 10, 1718, Robert Elliott then of Newcastle, N. H., made his will; proved July 7, 1724. Executors were his four sons-in-law: "Col. Geo Vaughan, Capt. Timo Gerrish, Maj. Chas. Frost and Capt. Daniel Greenough." He gave to Capt. Greenough and wife Abigail: "my Dwelling house & wharfe and Garden and all my land upon Great Island"; to Sarah Greenough, my farm at Spur-wish; "I Give to Robert Greenough my Rapier with ye silver head and to Daniel his Brother my Case silver head"; Land at Kittery to Frost and Daniel Greenough and Abigail Greenough. (Does the last mean his daughter Abigail or granddaughter Abigail Greenough?). Will mentions "my loving Brother Willm Pepperell Senr."

May 1720 Captain Daniel Greenough was representative for Newcastle in the N. H. Assembly, and was later made Clerk of the House.

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Sept. 27, 1738, Ezra Rolf of Bradford, Mass., sold a house and lot there to Daniel Greenough of Newcastle, N. H., "Coolsmith". The 1726 will of Samuel Winckley of Portsmouth mentions, "a my Silver Tankard made by Mr. Greenough" "a one Silver Spone made by Danll Greenough".

March 15, 1745 (vol. 303, p. 575), Daniel Greenough of Bradford, Mass., Gent., made his will. To Elizabeth, his wife, he left one-half his dwelling house in Bradford, household goods and plate, and "my Negro Servt maid: Violet"; and made his wife sole executer. . . "to my Son Nathl & my Daughter Sarah Robins; and my Daughter Abigail Colefo (rd or x or ?) "my house at New Castle in New Hampshire (In which I formerly lived) and my pasture Land there - to each an equal Division. - To them, my Son & two Daughters & to their heirs" etc - "To my sd Daughter Abigail Colefo(?) looking glass" etc. . . "to my Sons Simon & John: a Dwelling House in New Castle & land about; .. "with all my Lands at Epsons in New Hampsh; To be Equally Divided Between my sd Son Symon & John" .. "to my Son William my blacksmith Shop and all my utensills belonging to sd Trade; & also the other halfe of my Dwelling house in Bradford; with".... "(the Paying to my three younger Sons the Sums Hereafter mentioned) To him, my sd Son William" etc. "Give and bequeath to my younger Sons, Benja, Saml & James, To each of them, the Sum of fifty Pounds. to be paid by son William at time when they shall arrive at the age of 21 years respectively. Signed, Daniel Greenough; probated May 19, 1746.

Among the Xerox copied Probate Records, Metcalf, vol. 2, page 640, is a statement concerning "Robert Greenough 1737 Boston, Mass." It shows that administration on the estate of Dr. Robert Greenough of Boston, Mass., was granted to his father, Daniel Greenough of Newcastle, gentleman, May 16, 1737. Robert would have been 24 years old, and since no mention is made of a family, was probably unmarried. His father's will made eight years later does not mention him or any child of his. Nor does the father's will mention the next son, Daniel, who was alive in 1718 when the grandfather, Robert Elliott, made his will; which probably means that Daniel had died leaving no children. This is the first known mention of the daughter Abigail; and there is nothing here to prove whether she was by the first or second wife. If the births of the three younger sons, Benjamin, Samuel, and James, are on the Narragansett Records, they have not chanced to come to my attention. But no exhaustive search has been made by me with any of these Greenough records.

John² Greenough (Robert), of Rowley and Boston, Mass.

born, June 16, 1712, Rowley, Mass.

died,

mar. intent, April 11, 1732, Boston, Mass.

Dorothy Frost

born,

died,

Children ?

October 1, 1733 (vol. 63, p. 266, Essex Co. deeds), John Greenough of Boston, Mass., to David Fayson of Rowley, Mass., deeded "One Messuage or tract ~~of~~ ^{of} land with half a dwelling house thereon" in Rowley, three-fourths of an acre in extent, boundaries: E. on Bayly land, S. on a brook, W. on a lane leading to Ipswich, N. on highway; price 40 pounds; John, the sole owner holding "Absolute Estate of Inheritance in fee Simple." Dorothy Greenough (her mark), wife of John, signed also; and both personally acknowledged their signatures same day, in Boston. Witnesses: John Ruck, Hannah Savage.

I think there can be no doubt this was John, son of Robert of Rowley. I have not found him included among the descendants of William Greenough of Boston (died 1693). ~~William Greenough married~~ .. 15, 1716, Boston, Mass., William Taylor. She could hardly have been the daughter of John and Dorothy, and therefore suggests John's death; but she may have been of the William line.

Daniel³ Greenough (Robert², Robert¹), of or near Ipswich, Mass. & (X) Salem, N. H.
 born; November 5, 1705, Rowley, Mass.
 died, after Nov. 26, 1754. *died 1761, before March 28, Salem, N. H.*
 mar., February 23, 1737, Ipswich, Mass.

Mary Allen

born,
 died, *after Dec. 4, 1764, when she was "widow Mary Greenough" of Salem, N. H.*
 Children, (born in or near Ipswich, Mass., to 1743?):

William,⁴ b. January , 1729; d.

m. ? did he mar. 1749, Judith Chase?

Daniel, bapt. 8th mo., 24th day, 1731, Ipswich; d.

m. *June 22-1751, Plaistow, N. H. Hannah Emerson of Plaistow.*

Robert, bapt. March 1733, Ipswich; d. buried May, 1734, Ipswich

Robert, bapt. October 5, 1734;

m. ?

Moses, bapt. May 30, 1736;

m. ?

Allen, bapt. December 11, 1737; *d. living in 1759, in Salem, N. H.*

m. ?

Hannah, bapt. May 6, 1733;

m. probably mar. May 15, 1760, Salem, N. H., Moses Merrill of Salem, N. H.

Samuel, bapt. January 18, 1741;

m. ?

(Believe following were children of this Daniel, almost necessarily so.)

Sarah, bapt. April 7, 1745, Haverhill, Mass.;

m. ?

Martha, bapt. July 19, 1747, Haverhill, Mass.;

m. ?

The only other Daniel Greenough who could, it seems, have been the father of the above Sarah and Martha (daughters of a Daniel Greenough), was Daniel³ (Daniel², Robert¹), and he was probably not living in March, 1745, when his father made his will. The same reasoning excludes any but the above Daniel³ Greenough (or with small probability his son Daniel⁴, bapt. 1751) as the early settler of Salem, N. H. (taken partly from Haverhill, Mass.), and taxed there for the ministerial rate in 1734, and referred to in 1739 as a Salem proprietor.

Daniel³, above, was married (and almost surely his sister Martha also) and seven of his children baptized in that Ipswich church later included in Hamilton. But otherwise it is not known that he was on the Ipswich records. Therefore it seems possible he did not live there, but only near enough to have his children baptized there; until, say, he moved to Haverhill or vicinity and had two younger children baptized there.

At the March 3, 1733 Portsmouth meeting of Proprietors of Salem, N. H., it is stated that the following named persons had "applied to this propriety for their Right & title to the lands they severally claim in the Township of Salem", N. H. The claims were granted; among others, to Daniel Greenough and to Peter Merrill. Oct. 30, 1734 the Salem, N. H., ministerial rate tax lists for two constables were made, and included the names of "Daniel greenough" (indexed in the town History as "Greenough"), widow Susanna Allen, and Peter Merrill. One of the Salem History pages (page 123) showing the early settlers locations, by family names, has "Greenough" on the Salem north-easterly boundary, next what became Atkinson, perhaps just over the border into later Atkinson. Col. Atkinson's land was next above. Not very far to the south-west was Merrill, for the land of Peter Merrill (as the History text shows), father of the Moses⁵ Merrill who married a ~~Greenough~~ Greenough, May 15, 1760, in Salem, N. H. - The Salem History in its copy of marriage records has incorrectly copied the bride's name as "Hannah Greene". That it should have been "Greenough" (spelling there

My dear Mr. [Name],
I have just received your letter of the 10th inst. and am
glad to hear that you are well and happy.

I am writing you a few lines to let you know that
I am still in the same old place, and that I am
still doing the same old work. I am
very busy, but I will try to find time to
write you more often.

I am sure that you are all well and happy,
and I hope that you will continue to be so.
I am sure that you will find time to
write me soon.

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"Greenough") is shown in the genealogy, "A Merrill Memorial", by Mr. Samuel Merrill, issued 1917 - 1928, and in his written statement of Nov. 15, 1931, quoted in full in my few typed pages on "Merrill - Moses Merrill" etc, deposited in the Library of The New England Historic Genealogical Society, 3 Ashburton Place, Boston, Mass. Part of Mr. Samuel Merrill's statement is that Rev. John L. Merrill (1833 - 1913) wrote, 28 May, 1903: "Moses's wife's name was Hannah Greenough, upon the authority of James Ayer, town clerk of Salem, and also of his great-granddaughter, still living." - Though the Hannah Greenough who was daughter (or even possibly a sister) of the Salem, N. H. early settler was decidedly more apt to have been the one who married a Salem close neighbor; yet her Newbury, Mass., own cousin Hannah⁴ Greenough (Samuel³, Robert²), baptized July 4, 1736; or her other own cousin Hannah⁴ Greenough (Richard³, Robert²), born June, 1730, Newbury, might so far as we can prove anything to the contrary, have been the one who married Moses Merrill. But there seems no practical chance that it was not one of these three. Perhaps an examination of New Hampshire records would prove what Hannah Greenough it was; and also give more data concerning Daniel³ Greenough.

Captain Samuel³ Greenough (m² Robert², Robert¹), of Newbury, Mass.

born, March 25, 1707, Rowley, Mass.

died, August 29, 1753, Newbury, Mass.

mar., April 23, 1739, Kittery, Maine

Elizabeth³ (Mitchell) Greenleaf (Robert², Christopher¹), of Kittery, Maine

born, May 8, 1705, Kittery, Maine

died,

She mar. (3), July 23, 1754, Newbury, Capt. Henry Kingsbury, of Newbury
Children, born Newbury, Mass.:

Epes, b. October 12, 1731;

m. ?

Robert, b. November 20, 1733;

m. ?

Hannah, bapt. July 4, 1736;

m. ?

Sarah, b. December 7, 1737;

m. ?

Martha, bapt. June 10, 1739;

m. ?

Mary, b. November 28, 1740; d., after Nov. 26, 1754

m. ?

Elizabeth, bapt. March 20, 1743;

m. ?

See Newbury, Mass., History, page 547: "The Muster Roll of the Company enlisted for his Majesties Service in the Intended Expedition against Cape Breton under the Command of Capt Moses Titcomb of Newbury February 26th 1744.

Moses Titcomb Captain

Saml Greenough Lieut "

Nov. 22, 1751 (Vol. 101, p. 7, Essex Co. deeds), Samuel Greenough of Newbury, Gentleman, sold two acres of Newbury land to Moses Merrill. The witnesses vouched for the signature Sept. 1753, after the decease of Samuel. - Numerous other deeds of Samuel³ Greenough's purchases, some connected with his brother Richard¹, also of Newbury.

For an account of the Mitchell family of Kittery, Maine, see the town history and other public records. The wills both the father and mother of Samuel³ Greenough's wife are given in the published York County, Maine, deeds. The mother was Sarah Steering, daughter of Roger. Elizabeth Mitchell mar. (1) Oct. 10, 1723, Samuel Greenleaf of Newbury, Mass., and they had at least two

children, - Margery and Samuel, the latter certainly living at the time of the administration of his mother's estate, which I think was in 1769. After the death of her first husband, Elizabeth must have gone back to Kittery, for at the time of her marriage to Samuel Greenough both are called of Kittery. If there was a child of this second marriage born in Kittery before the birth of their son Epes, in Newbury, I have so far found no record of it. After the early death of his father, Robert, young Samuel Greenough may have gone for a time to the neighborhood, at least, of his Uncle, Capt. Daniel of Newcastle, N. H., which is so near Kittery, Maine.

³Richard Greenough (Robert, Robert), of Newbury, Mass.

born, bapt. (with brother Epes), July 22, 1711, Newbury, Mass.

died, after Nov. 26, 1754, and before April 25, 1769

mar., July 20, 1733, Newbury, Mass.

Hannah Sewell (Henry, of Newbury)

born,

died, after April 25, 1769

Children, born Newbury, Mass.:

Hannah, b. June 2 (torn), 1733 (bapt. June 24);

Margery, bapt. April 26, 1741;

m. 1761, Dean

Elizabeth, bapt. June 12, 1743; d. Aug. 23, 1753, Newbury, ae 10 yr. 2 mo.

Jane, bapt. ~~August~~ Dec. 22, 1745;

Sarah, bapt. Oct. 2, 1748;

Anna, bapt. Dec. 2, 1750;

Richard, bapt. March 18, 1753; d. probably 1769, ae 19, Newburyport, Mass. "son

xxx of Widow Greenough"; widow Hannah above then living in Newburyport

Elizabeth, bapt. Nov. 9, 1755;

Mary, bapt. Sept. 2, 1759;

³Epes Greenough (Robert, Robert), of Newbury, Mass. ? and Portsmouth, N. H.?

born, bapt. (with brother Richard), July 22, 1711, Newbury, Mass.

died, after Nov. 26, 1754, when his mother made her will and names him in it.

mar. intent, Dec. 11, 1732 Newbury, Mass. & Dec. 12, 1732, Kittery, Maine

Margaret Moor, of Kittery, Maine

born,

died,

Children, born Newbury, Mass.:

Ebenezer, b. Dec. 31, 1734;

m. Dec. 23, 1755, Kittery, Miriam Walker of Kittery

Epes, b. June 23, 1737

m. ?

Samuel, b. August 26, 1733;

m. ? has he "Mr. Samuel Greenough" of m. Oct. 27-1761, Newington, N.H. "Mrs. Lucy Triple"?

Pelatiah, bapt. Aug. 9, 1741; in Kittery, Maine, in 1790. See census

m. Oct. 4, 1763, Newington, N. H., Eunice Witham, of Kittery

³Robert Greenough (Robert, Robert), of Newbury, Mass., and Plaistow, N. H.

born, November 21, 1712, Newbury, Mass.

died, after Nov. 26, 1754; died, Plaistow-Atkinson, N.H., 1767, after June 30

mar. November 27, 1735, Newbury, Mass.

Edna Knight (Richard, Richard) of Newbury, Mass.

born, July 2, 1713, Newbury, Mass.

died, after June 30, 1767, when husband names her in his will, probated Dec. 30, 1767

Children, probably Moses, of Plaistow, N. H., and others; and certainly:

Richard, bapt. Aug. 10, 1746, Haverhill, Mass.; d. Nov. 17, 1834, ae 88, Salisbury, N.H.

m. (1) Elizabeth Hoag, (2) June 23, 1811, Salisbury, N.H., Susanna Shirley

Children, births recorded in Plaistow, N. H. See page 21.

³William Greenough (Robert², Robert¹)

born, May 2, 1714, Newbury, Mass.

died, before November 26, 1754

mar., intent Aug. 11, 1742, Newbury, Mass.

Judith Tane

born,

died,

She probably mar. (2) July 27, 1756, Newbury, Mass., Samuel Wyatt
Children, born Newbury, Mass.:

William, b. December 9, 1749; d. June 6, 1836, Rumney, N. H.;

m. Aug. 17, 1772; Hannah Wells See Plymouth, N. H., History

Carpenter, b. September 25, 1751; d. March 5, 1820, on 68, Newburyport, Mass.;

m. intent Aug. 1775, Newburyport, Susanna Merrill

The above marriage and children are either those of the William³ Greenough above, or of his nephew William⁷ Greenough (Daniel³, Robert², Robert¹), born Jan., 1723. Solely because of age (the older William³ would have been 35 at the time of the marriage, and the younger 10) I had thought it more apt to be the marriage of the younger William.⁷ But the locality, Newbury, where the mother and certainly two brothers of the older William³ lived; and since learning from his mother's will that he was dead by Nov. 26, 1754 (I believe the chances are very strong that the Judith Greenough who married Samuel Wyatt was the widow of William Greenough), the probabilities seem stronger that this was the family of the older William.³ The father of the younger William was without much (if any) doubt, living in Salem, N. H., the Haverhill, Mass., region; and therefore the son would have been more apt to have been in that locality. Very likely records exist in New Hampshire to settle the question.

³Moses Greenough (Robert², Robert¹)

born, April 30, 1717, Newbury, Mass.

died, before Nov. 26, 1754

Nothing found concerning him in addition to the above. He may have been father of the Moses who was in Plaistow, N. H.; the Moses I have thought somewhat more apt to be the son of Robert³ of Plaistow; and most apt of all to have been Moses⁴ (Daniel³, Robert², Robert¹); baptized 1736.

Above are the families, so far as known to me, of the seven sons and one daughter of Robert² Greenough. Robert's² grandsons named Greenough, who so far as known to the contrary may have left descendants, were: William,⁴ Daniel, Robert, Moses, Allen, Samuel, (sons of Daniel); Moses, Robert, (sons of Samuel); (Richard's³ one son died aged 19); Ebenezer, Moses, Samuel, Pelatiah, (sons of Moses); ^{note and} Richard, (son of Robert³); perhaps William and Carpenter (if sons of William); (no record that Moses³ had children). No attempt will be made here to follow them further, except with three of them to indicate what was readily discovered.

As a preface, let it be noted that genealogical geography is very important as well as almost the most interesting part. There are group towns around which a family will naturally center. With the Robert Greenough family there were especially three such group towns. First, the Essex County, Mass., coast line group - Ipswich, Rowley, Newbury, Newburyport - stepping northward from one into the next in order. Second, the coast line group farther north - Newcastle and Portsmouth, N. H., and Kittery, Maine. Both the earliest William Greenoughs of Boston, Mass., were connected with the sea as sea captain and ship wright, and perhaps there was the same pull with the Robert Greenoughs. Third, the Haverhill, Mass., group, the big early town shaped like a triangle with each side toward Hingham, New Bedford, from which were carved most of Hingham and Lawrence, Mass., and Salem, Plaistow, Stinson, Hampden, N. H. And just

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across the Merrimack river from Haverhill is Bradford, Mass. Captain Daniel² Greenough of Newcastle, N. H., bought a home in Bradford in Sept., 1733 and perhaps four, anyway, of his sons also lived there, and in 1740 his son Symonds bought a home in Haverhill and made it his home. Daniel³ Greenough, nephew of Captain Daniel², was probably in the Haverhill region by 1744; and his brother Robert³ by 1745; and ~~both~~ both remained. The Haverhill church where Daniel³ and Robert³ had the children Sarah⁷, Martha⁷, and Richard⁷ baptized was the church built to accommodate the settlers in the Salem, Plaistow region. Therefore it is a continuation of the story to note that (see pub. N. H. Records) Dec. 23, 1743, Robert Greenough was in the "Haverhill District". A Sept. 13, 1764 petition of Plaistow inhabitants was signed by Robert Greenough and Moses Greenough. A Dec. 3, 1767 Plaistow petition is signed by three Greenoughs - Robert, Moses, and Richard. A Dec. 1766 petition was signed by Robert and Moses, not by Richard (who would doubtless not have been 21 until about August of the next year). In 1796 there was a Captain Moses Greenough in the Atkinson-Plaistow region; and perhaps more than half a century later, a Frank W. Greenough. The record for Richard Greenough is taken from the Salisbury, N. H., History, and is as follows:

Richard⁴ Greenough removed to Salisbury from Plaistow about 1780, clearing up the farm afterwards occupied by Reuben Greeley. By trade he was a wheelwright and it is said he built the first thorough-brace wagons used in town. He was a very ingenious man and made improvements upon many of the farming implements. He died at South road village, November 17, 1834, aged 88. Married (1) Elizabeth Hoag, who died Dec. 25, 1810; mar. (2) June 23, 1811, Susannah Shirley, who died Dec. 7, 1843, aged 32. Children (which I will give as above):

Richard⁴ Greenough (Robert³, Robert², Robert¹) of Plaistow and Salisbury, N. H.
born, bapt. August 10, 1746, Haverhill, Mass. *born Aug. 9-1746*
died, November 17, 1834, Salisbury, Mass. N. H., aged 88 years
mar. (1)

Elizabeth Hoag

born,
died, December 25, 1810, Salisbury, N. H.
mar. (2), June 23, 1811

Susanna Shirley

born, about 1766
died, December 7, 1843, Salisbury, N. H., aged 82 years

Children, born Plaistow to about 1780, afterward, Salisbury, N. H.:

Robert, mar., had dau. Sukey; family removed to Lebanon. "He was one of the first who built coaches, the construction of which was long time kept secret."

James, removed to New York

Ezra, removed to New York

Moses, died unmarried

Brackett, b. April 22, 1777; d. after 1845; m. (1) Ruth Stevens, (2) A. Cummings

Ira, m. and rem. to New York after following wheelwright trade at South road

John, d. at Springfield; was 6ft 4in tall and very strong

Charles, mar. intent Oct. 1803 to Rhoda Thoria of Boscaman; rem. to New York;

dau. ~~Ann~~ Sophronia m. Feb. 23, 1826, Tanna Horton

Hepsey, m. Pillsbury; d. Springfield

Hannah, rem. to New York

Edna, m. Severance; rem. to Canada

Betsy, d. New York

Agnes, m. (1) Amos Filfield, (2) Dudley Gram

Samuel, m. Sarah Norris; rem. to Michigan; soldier in War of 1812

!Daniel ?

(1)

(2)

(3)

(4)

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See Bristol, N. H., History for record of Brackett Greenough, above. "He was a resident of Bristol 1823 - 46, and the owner of mills and privileges on Newfound river in Bristol village... He held a prominent place in the affairs of the town during his stay here." His birth date is given here (April 22, 1777), that he mar. (1) Ruth Stevens (b. 1773 - d. Sept. 16, 1804), mar. (2) 1803, Abigail Cummings (b. 1773 - d. 1846); and his children were: Brackett L., b. Jan. 15, 1800 (m. 1821, Amanda Frary); Betsey; Mariah Jane; Louisa Ruth; Abigail; Solomon G. (d. young); Marianna A.; Norman Cummings, b. Oct. 7, 1816, d. Aug. 11, 1866 (m. 1846, Frances D. De Ford).

The Salisbury, N. H., 1791 ministerial tax list spelled the name of Richard Greenough thus: "Richard Green'o".

William Greenough (William, ¹, Robert, ², Robert¹), of Plymouth and Rumney, N. H.
born, December 9, 1749, Newburyport, Mass. *son of William (which one?) & Judith*
died, June 6, 1836, Rumney, N. H.

mar., August 17, 1772, Plymouth, N. H.

Hannah Wells (Winthrop, Sr.

born,

died, January 24, 182, Rumney, N. H.

Children, born, youngest in Rumney, others in Plymouth, N. H.:

Nine daughters: Judith, b. Dec. 9, 1773, m. Peter McQuestin; Sarah; Mary;

Elizabeth; Hannah; Margery; Sophia; Dolly; Ferial. See History Plymouth, N. H.

William, b. Nov. 29, 1793; d. Jan. 16, 1859, Plymouth, N. H.; m. & had sons

Samuel Oliver and William Judson

Carpenter, b. September 7, 1795, Rumney; d. Sept. 30, 1825, Plymouth, N. H.;

m. Betsey Pierce in Stratford, Vt. In 1824 moved from Stratford to Plymouth

See Plymouth, N. H. History for this family. States William served two enlistments in Rev. War, was in 1778 Canada expedition, pensioner; expert with drum. In March, 1795 moved to Rumney.

Captain Carpenter Greenough (William, ¹, Robert, ², Robert¹), of Newburyport, Mass.

born, September 25, 1751, Newbury, Mass. *son of William (which one?) & Judith*

died, March 5, 1820, Newburyport, Mass., aged 68

mar., intent August 3, 1775, Newburyport, Mass.

Susanna Merrill

born,

died,

Children, born Newburyport, Mass.:

William, bapt. March 16, 1777;

Betsey, b. Jan. 27, 1779;

Susanna, b. July 27, 1761;

Robert, b. August 30, 1783;

Nancy, b. July 8, 1787;

Hannah, b. Sept. 22, 1794;

Sally Stacy, b. Oct. 9, 1797;

2

Among records that concern the Robert Greenough line are the following:

April 25, 1769 (vol. 126, p. 243, Essex Co. deeds), Joseph Godfrey of Newburyport and wife Mary, Parker Titcomb and wife Elizabeth (formerly wife of Moses Moody), and Hannah Greenough widow of Richard Greenough now of Newburyport - daughters of late Henry Sewell of Newbury, deceased, deed his Newbury homestead. Feb. 10, 1770 all the above acknowledged their signatures. - The above shows the prior death of Richard³ Greenough, that his widow was living in Newburyport in 1769 and that she was still alive by Feb. 10, 1770. Therefore there seems no question but that the Newburyport church record of the death of a 13 year old Richard Greenough, son of widow Greenough, means the death of the only son of

Richard³, the son baptized March 19, 1753, Newbury. - Dec. 13, 1744 (vol. 85, p. 242), Richard Greenough of Newbury, Blacksmith, to Samuel Greenough of Newbury, Gentleman, for 74 ounces of silver money deeds his dwelling house in Newbury on Greenleaf lane. - Nov. 20, 1741 (vol. 86, p. 161), Robert Greenow of Newbury, Cordwainer, and Anne his wife, etc. - Samuel Greenough was styled "Joyner" in one deed; and in an A. R. 20, 1751 deed, Newbury, Richard Greenough was witness. - In 1740 Joseph Noyes deeded his inheritance from his father, Gattling Noyes, Newbury, to Jacob Noyes and Samuel Greenough. - 1757, Newbury, Richard Greenough in militia; as in 1814 Parker Greenough was in a Co. - Now Hampshire Records, Nov. 10, 1765 petition of Portsmouth Inhabitants signed by Epes and Samuel Greenough; and a May 5, 1777 Portsmouth petition against Tories. Probably Epes and Samuel were father and son, or brothers (sons of Epes). - 1790 census for N. H., shows as Greenough heads of families: Abigail and Lucy in Portsmouth; Daniel in Chester; William in Plymouth; Richard in Salisbury. - Mass. 1790 census: James, John, Mary, Samuel, Samuel Junior, William, in Bradford; Ebenezer, Symond, in Haverhill; Carpenter, Joseph, William, in Newburyport; James in Newbury; Nathaniel, Samuel, William in Boston; David in Roxbury; John in Medford; William in Boston; Mehitable in Welfleet. - April 25, 1745 (vol. 91, p. 78), the heirs of Richard Knight, Jr., of Newbury, deceased, made a division and give a deed. They were: Richard Knight; Eunice Knight alias Woodman; Edna Knight alias Greenough; brother and two sisters, who sign as do also the husbands of the sisters. Signatures: Richard Knight, Ichabod Woodman, Robert Greenough, Eunice Woodman, Edna Greenough. - Bills of the parents of Elizabeth, wife of Samuel³ Greenough, in "Maine Bills, 1640 - 1760." See also Kittery, Maine, History - Samuel³ Greenough of Newbury died Intestate; for administration on his estate (which totaled little over 504 pounds) see Essex Co. probate records, vol. 333, p. 242, Oct. 2, 1755. Charges include "mourning for ye widow", and the property includes "one pew in ye meeting house in ye 3rd parish."

Among Kittery, Maine, Greenough records are: Marriage of Eunice to Daniel Fry, Sept. 28, 1802; Humphrey to Lydia Chapleigh, Dec. 14, 1800; Polly to James Door, Apr. 13, 1792. All the parties were styled of Kittery.

The Newbury, Mass., copied record of the marriage intention of Epes Greenough and Margaret Moor of Kittery has the date Dec. 11, 1730; the Kittery intention date is Dec. 12, 1732. ~~1732~~ 1732 probably correct.

The following record seems to apply to Robert Greenough of Rowley. See "York Roman Co. Deeds - 1728 - 30", page 361, vol. 13. (Page 360) "At Fort Loyal in Falmouth 23: 7or, 1680 Granted unto the Persons whose Names are hereunder written House Lots upon the Neck of Land neare the Fort as followeth viz 1 ----- Lots granted against the Great Bay to Capt Silvanus Davis the first Lott Westward. To Mr John Jacob the 2d Lott To Ensigne Nathaniell Jacob the 3d Lott To Robert Greenough the 4th Lott" etc. The index to the book gives the last name under "Greenough". Supposedly this is correct, and the given name supports it. If so, this date of Sept. 23, 1680 is the earliest I have found for Robert Greenough, later of Rowley, probably then of Ipswich.

On page 6 the will of Robert Elliott, father-in-law of Captain Daniel² Greenough, was referred to. It was looked at briefly at first (since there was then no thought of this amount of Greenough records). A second reference to the will, dated Nov. 10, 1713, shows the provision: "I Give to Elliott Frost and Daniel Greenough and Abigail Greenough all my land that will fall to my Proportion of ye Commons at Kittery and their Heirs forever." Elliot Frost was a grandson, and it is therefore most probable that he linked the names of two other grandchildren with the bequest, not his son-in-law and daughter, already provided for in the will.

The first thing I noticed when I stepped out of the car was the cold. It was a sharp contrast to the warm blanket I had been sitting under. I looked up at the sky, which was a pale, hazy blue. The air was still, and the only sound I could hear was the distant hum of traffic. I took a deep breath, feeling the cool air fill my lungs. The ground beneath my feet was wet and slick, reflecting the light from the sky. I walked slowly, my boots making soft, muffled sounds on the pavement. The world around me seemed to be holding its breath, waiting for something to happen. I felt a sense of anticipation, a mix of excitement and nervousness. The day was young, and the possibilities were endless. I knew that whatever happened today, it would be a part of my story. I walked on, my heart beating in my chest, ready for whatever came next.

As I walked, I noticed a few people in the distance. They were walking quickly, their heads down, lost in their own worlds. I felt a little out of place, like I was an observer in someone else's life. The city around me was a blur of motion and sound. The lights of the buildings were on, casting a warm glow over the street. The cars were moving, their engines humming. The air was filled with the scent of coffee and fresh bread. It was a familiar scene, one that I had seen a thousand times before. But for some reason, it felt different today. Like there was something new, something unexpected, waiting for me. I continued to walk, my mind racing with thoughts and ideas. The day was mine, and I was going to make the most of it. I knew that whatever happened today, it would be a part of my story. I walked on, my heart beating in my chest, ready for whatever came next.

³
Nathaniel Greenough (Daniel², Robert¹), of Newcastle, N. H. & Bradford, Mass.
born, February 11, 1719, Newcastle, N. H.
died, after March 15, 1745, *and after Feb. 19-1748 when he was in Haverhill, Mass.*
mar.

Mary
born,
died,

Children, records from Bradford, Mass.:

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Nathaniel, b. Nov. 29, 1750;

John, b. Dec. 18, 1754; *d. April 21-1826, Bradford, as 72*

Jonathan, bapt. July 20, 1760; *a Jonathan in Boothbay, Maine, in 1790. See Census*

Mary, bapt. March 21, 1762;

Child, bapt. Sept. 16, 1764;

Anna, bapt. July 17, 1765;

That Captain Daniel's² son Nathaniel³ was alive March 15, 1745 when the former made his will, and from the provisions probably living in Newcastle, makes the guess that Nathaniel³ perhaps did not live in Bradford until after his father's death. The fact that he did live in Bradford, and was the only known Nathaniel in his generation in the Greenough family of that region, is the only authority for making the father of the above children the son of Captain Daniel². The Essex Co. probate records has the June 25, 1742 administration on the estate of an Nathaniel Greenough, boatbuilder, of Bradford.

³
Symonds Greenough (Daniel², Robert¹), of Haverhill, Mass.

born, November 9, 1722, Newcastle, N. H.

died, January , 1798, as 76, Haverhill, Mass.

mar.

Abigail Chadwick (perhaps dau. of Edmund and Mary (Kimball) Chadwick of Bradford!)

born, (if dau. of Edmund; Nov. 5, 1722, Bradford, Mass.)

died, May 7, 1797, as 74, Haverhill, Mass.

Children, first born Bradford, others Haverhill, Mass.:

Daniel, b. March 20, 1749; d.

m. 1783, Hulda (Smith) Burley. See Chester, N. H. History

Molly, b. Feb. 25, 1751; d. Feb. 24, 1779, Haverhill

Ebenezer, b. Feb. 18, 1753; d.

m. Mary Flagg. See "Ancestry of Ebenezer Greenough", 1895, by Platt

Abigail, b. Oct. 15, 1754; m. Carter, of Popham, Vt.

Betty, b. May 1, 1757; d. Oct. 15, 1830; m. Dudley Porter

Sarah, b. May 2, 1759; d. June 19, 1840, Haverhill, unmar.

Hannah, b. Feb. 15, 1760; m. Mills

See Bradford, Mass., published records for the Chadwick family. Some where it is stated that Symonds Greenough mar. "Mrs." Abigail Chadwick, perhaps using the "Mrs." as the old fashioned title of respect to the unmarried daughters of "Gentlemen". If this is true here, strong probabilities Abigail was dau. Edmund.

³
William Greenough (Daniel², Robert¹), of Bradford, Mass.

born, May 2, 1724, Newcastle, N. H.

died, June 23, 1777, Bradford, Mass., of smallpox

mar. January 12, 1743, Bradford

Hannah Atwood

born, about 1729

died, Oct. 23, 1777, Bradford

Children, born Bradford, Mass.:

~~Elizabeth~~, b. Nov. 29, 1749; m. 1773, Daniel Sage of Pelham, N. H.!

Hannah, b. May 21, 1753; m. Feb. 4, 1770, Lemuel Marden

Sarah, b. June 9, 1752; m. Daniel Hardy

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Ann, b. April 30, 1754; m. March 27, 1777, Samuel Parker
 Rachel, b. Feb. 14, 1756; m. Aug. 15, 1776, William Marden
 Mary, b. July 15, 1758; d.
 Mary, b. 1760; (? m. April 1782, John Sillesway of Haverhill?)
 William, b. October 26, 1763; d.
 (? m. Feb. 11, 1765, Bradford, Abigail Parker?)

William Greenough of Bradford, trader, made his will June 19, 1777 (vol. 352, p. 476). Provisions give 2s each to daughters: Hannah, wife of Samuel Marden; Sarah, wife of Daniel Hardy; Ann, wife of Samuel Parker; Rachel, wife of William Marden. To dau. Elizabeth and dau. Mary, "fourteen" to be paid on marriage day. To son William, sword, firelock, blacksmith utensils, desk and bookcase, cane, silver tankard, gold buttons, etc. To wife Hannah.

³
 John Greenough (Daniel,² Robert)
 born, March 17, 1726, Newcastle, N. H.
 died, after March 15, 1745
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³
 Benjamin Greenough (Daniel,² Robert), of Bradford, Mass.
 born,
 died, after (adm. July 8, 1761 on estate of Benjamin of Bradford)
 mar. January 6, 1756, Bradford

Susanna Surbank

born,
 died,
 Child, born Bradford;
 Susanna, b. Jan. 24, 1757

³
 Samuel Greenough (Daniel,² Robert), of Bradford, Mass.
 born,
 died,
 mar. June 26, 1758, Bradford

Susanna Bailey, sister of Jonathan Bailey

born, about 1739
 died, Feb. 10, 1823, Bradford, ae 84

Children, born Bradford:

Rebecca, b. March 11, 1759; d. Nov. 6, 1760

Rhoda, b. Dec. 25, 1760; d. Aug. 28, 1779

Samuel, b. Dec. 13, 1762; d.

m. ? Feb. 2, 1790, Bradford, Hannah Surbank?

~~Benjamin~~ Benjamin, b. June 4, 1765; d.

m. ? June 24, 1792, Bradford, Lucy Dutch?

Susanna, b. Aug. 20, 1767; d. Sept. 19, 1767

Susanna, b. Oct. 9, 1768; d. May 11, 1800

Elizabeth, b. Sept. 6, 1770; (? m. Dec. 18, 1789, Joel Rogers?)

Lucy, b. Nov. 6, 1772; (? m. Sept. 30, 1798, Peter Mitchell?)

Thomas, b. March 15, 1775; d.

m. ?

Mary, b. May 7, 1776; d. 1811, Bradford, unmar. } *probably same.*

Polly, b. May 7, 1778; d. July 4, 1811, unmar. }

Bailly, b. March 3, 1780; d.

m. Nov. 12, 1807, Bradford, Betsey Parker

³
 James Greenough (Daniel,² Robert), of Bradford, Mass.

born,

died,

mar. Dec. 13, 1759, Newbury, Mass.

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 died, ? July 19, 1812, Bradford, Mass., ae 80
 Children, born Bradford:
 Aline⁷(da.), b. May 26, 1760;
 James, b. Dec. 15, 1762;
 m. ? March 1784, Bradford, Hannah Balch;
 Moses, b. August 28, 1770;
 m. ?

An Oliver, son of James, bapt. Sept. 5, 1762, Bradford; and Parker, son of James, bapt. Oct. 1775, Bradford. If the baptism of Oliver did not occur so shortly before James⁷ was born, it would more easily be thought the two children belonged to the above family. It may be they did, Oliver being born in 1761, in another town, but not baptized till taken to Bradford. Probably the above Moses mar. Sept. 21, 1784, Bradford, Eunice Kimball; and probably the above Parker mar. May 23, 1787, Bradford, Hannah Kimball. Was Moses⁷ the one "Lost at sea, Oct. 24, 1820, Bradford record? Parker and Hannah (Kimball) Greenough had a son, Bryan, b. April 26, 1798, Bradford

Daniel Greenough of Bradford, tanner, March 7, 1785, admin. on estate.

" " " Beverly mariner, 1806 " " "

John " Junior of Newburyport, 1801 (probably guardianship?)

James Greenough m. June 30, 1790, Newbury, Tabitha Noyes. Son Parker b. Nov. 1, 1790, and bapt. June 10, 1792 (as son of Widow Tabitha). Tabitha Greenough mar.⁽²⁾ Dec. 24, 1793, Newbury, James George, and they had a son born 1798 and named "James Greenough." Admin. on estate of James Greenough of Newbury, seaman, Jan. 9, 1792. Another record gives the marriage date of James and Tabitha (Noyes) as Dec. 13, 1790. Confusion of records.

Moses Greenough and Mary Lowell, mar. intent Feb. 12, 1763, Newbury, Mass.

From Newburyport, Mass.: Joseph and Sarah Greenough had following children: Sarah, b. March 1, 1761; Joseph, b. July 15, 1762; Sarah, b. Dec. 11, 1765; John, b. July 13, 1768; Thomas, b. Dec. 30, 1769; Fanny, b. Sept. 12, 1771; William, b. July 23, 1773; William, b. July 25, 1776; Samuel, b. Feb. 15, 1778. Died in above family: Joseph Sr., July 11, 1803, ae 76; Sarah (wife?) Oct. 12, 1793, ae 59; dau. Sarah, July 22, 1762; son Samuel, Oct. 15, 1778; son Thomas, Nov. 1, 1790 ae 21, at West Indies; Joseph Jr., March 19, 1796 ae 34. The ~~son~~ ^{elder} Joseph ~~and~~ mar. Mehitable Feveryear, mar. intent, Aug. 16, 1794; and Mehitable, widow of Joseph, died Aug. 11, 1823, ae 84.

William Greenough mar. June 21, 1770, Mary Starkey, dau. of Capt. William, and Mary died May 5, 1774, in 26th year. A William Greenough died at sea April 1804. A William Greenough died Sept. 29, 1805 ae 71.

William Greenough, Jr., and Sally Gunnison of Portsmouth, mar. intent Jan. 15, 1803.

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James of Bradford, gentleman, will, Dec. 5, 1815
 John Jr. of Newburyport, blockmaker, adm. Aug. 5, 1801
 John of Bradford, yeoman, Dec. 5, 1826
 Joseph of Newburyport, gentleman, adm. July 18, 1809
 Mehitable " widow, will, Sept. 30, 1823
 Moses of Haverhill, "tobacconist", adm., Dec. 26, 1820
 Nathaniel of Bradford, boatbuilder, adm., June 25, 1792
 Parker of Newbury, minor, guardian, Jan. 9, 1792
 Samuel of Bradford, blacksmith, will, April 4, 1797
 Sarah of Andover or Haverhill, will, Oct. 20, 1840
 William of Bradford, trader, will, Aug. 5, 1777
 " " " minor, guardian, Feb. 3, 1779
 William, Jr. of Newburyport, adm. Dec. 21, 1804
 " " " Dec. 5, 1805

*Joseph Greenough of Newburyport & Miss Mehitable Feveryear of Haverhill,
 mar. Sept 30 1794, Haverhill, N. H.*

ADDITIONS

Made after examining some Greenough records in Concord, N. H., Jan. 19 - 22, 1932.

Note, page 1:- Elizabeth Greenough (Robert)² b. Dec. 1, 1633; m. Nov. 17, 1710, Thomas Kimball.³ The Kimball family finally went to Lunenburg, Mass., see the records of that town, and a Kimball Gen. where Elizabeth's name is not given properly, but a descendant has left a correction at 9 Ashburton Place, Boston, Mass. This addition was found at 9 Ashburton Place, not in Concord.

Page 5:- Daniel³ Greenough (Robert,² Robert¹), b. Nov. 5, 1705; died in Salem, N. H. shortly prior to March 23, 1761, when administration on his estate began. Daniel's younger brother, Robert,³ born Nov. 21, 1712, died in Plaistow, N. H. (doubtless in the part that in 1767 formed part of Atkinson) between June 30, 1767 when he made his will, and Dec. 30, 1767 when the will was presented for probating.

Page 6:- Captain Daniel¹ Greenough's second wife, Elizabeth Hatch, was the widow of Samuel Hatch of Portsmouth, N. H. when she married Daniel² Greenough Jan. 25, 1732, Portsmouth; and she was the mother of Thomas Hatch and the grandmother of William Odiorne, Jr. - The New Hampshire Historical Society, housed in its beautiful building in Concord, was given by the New Hampshire legislature the charge of the province recorded deeds and probate records to and including 1770. These records had been most remarkably and ably indexed, card catalogue system, in the office of the Secretary of State; much, perhaps all, of the work under the most able charge of Miss Etha L. Sargent. The gratitude of every one who cares for the early history of New Hampshire may and we hope does go out to all connected with so helpful² work, - to the Historical Society and the giver of its building, to the legislature and the Secretary of State's office and to Miss Sargent. -

It is the above records that are authority for what has been given above. In the deeds, v.l. 9, page 343 are records showing Abigail Greenough, first wife of Captain Daniel² Greenough of New Castle, N. H., as the daughter of Robert Elliot and granddaughter of Nathaniel Fryer. vol. 19, page 231, on Aug. 13, 1726, Elizabeth Greenough, wife of Daniel Greenough of New Castle, deeded Barrington land allowed said Elizabeth "by name of Widow Hatch." She helped deed "land, warehouse & wharf in Portsmouth" that had been Samuel Hatch's; and in 1752 she is shown as mother of Thomas Hatch and in 1760 as grandmother of William Odiorne Jr. May 29, 1750 (vol. 42, p. 299), Symond Greenough (Elizabeth's son by her second marriage) of Haverel, Mass., deeded land in Ipsom (Ipsom) to William Odiorne of Durham.

Feb. 19, 1749 (vol. 57, p. 326), Nathaniel Greenough of Haverhill, Mass., Jona. Colefox and Abigail Colefox of New Castle, and Widow Sarah Robbins of Portsmouth deeded land on Great Island in New Castle to Thomas Bell of New Castle. Nathaniel was "Corder alias Mariner", and his sister Abigail's husband, "Jonathan Colefax" as the body of the deed seemed to spell the surname, was "mariner." Sarah Robbins was "widow", and only made her mark; but the other three signed their names, and the spelling there in both cases was "Colefox." Thomas Bell, Esq., was "Merchant." Nathaniel Greenough acknowledged his signature Feb. 21, 1749; but the other three not until June 26, 1753, the day the deed was recorded. Of course Sarah, Abigail, and Nathaniel were the children of Captain Daniel² and Abigail (Elliot) Greenough, and the four acres deeded apparently had belonged to Captain Nathaniel Fryer, the grandfather of the mother of the three who deeded. Probably this deed proves that Sarah,³ Abigail,³ and Nathaniel³ were the then only surviving children of Abigail (Elliot) Greenough, and that her other sons, Robert³ (known to have died by May 16, 1737) and Daniel³, had left no children.

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Page 8:- Daniel³ Greenough (Robert², Robert¹), born Nov. 5, 1705, Rowley, Mass.; died, about February or early March, 1761, Salem, N. H. There can be no ground for questioning that this is the Daniel Greenough of Salem, N. H. After he died, "Widow Mary Greenough" paid taxes in Salem, N. H., in his stead. Their son, Allen Greenough, is given on the Salem records of 1750; and their son Daniel married Hannah Emerson of Plaistow; and without doubt it was their daughter Hannah who married their close neighbor, Moses Merrill, in 1760; and their daughters, Sarah and Martha, who were baptized in 1745 and 1747 in the Haverhill, Mass., church the people of the Salem - Plaistow region early attended.

Nov. 18, 1751 (vol. 47, p. 190), Daniel Greenough of Salem, N. H., "Cloather," for 100 pounds, was deeded ten acres in Salem, N. H., by Nathaniel Clements of Salem, N. H., yeoman. The boundaries of the land "begin at crotched white oak with Stone which stands in the Line of Theodore Atkinson's farm Thence Northerly on the westerly line of sd farm 63 poles" to a Stake and Stones, thence westerly 20 poles, thence southerly 70 poles to a stake & stones in the Carlton Line, thence easterly 27 poles. The witnesses were: Edward Carlton, Timo Lad. Deed recorded March 24, 1756.

March 28, 1761 (wills, etc. vol. 22, p. 66), Estate of Daniel Greenough of Salem, N. H., no will; James Paul of Londonderry was granted administration and gave bond. Settlement did not come before March 12, 1763, when there was a listing of the names of creditors, among them the name of Robert Greenough (probably Daniel's brother Robert, who was of adjoining Plaistow; or possibly Daniel's son Robert). Apparently the debts were not paid in full; and among the credits was an item about ~~xxxx~~ "wages in Boston", not any further explained, but furnishing an interesting surmise. Is it possible that while Daniel's good sized family was settled in Salem, N. H., where at first he probably got land more readily, for he was one of the settlers who shared in the division made March 3, 1753, that he helped to support the family by doing some work in Boston as a "Cloather"? His half uncle, John Greenough, had gone to Boston by 1732. I did not fully read the records of the settlement of the estate, but in a cursory glance through it did not notice any settlement upon any member of his family, and probably only the widow would have received any share of an estate that did not pay the creditors in full. Probably the administrator was a creditor.

May 12, 1764 (will, vol. 23, p. 253), David Emerson of Plaistow, N. H., yeoman, made his will, names his wife, Hannah, and his deceased daughter, Hannah, who had married Daniel Greenough of Salem, and the will leaves a bequest to "my Grandson Daniel Greenough Son of my Daughter Hannah Greenough Deceased, when he shall arrive at the age" of 21 years; etc.

Daniel Greenough and Hannah Emerson, both of Plaistow, N. H., mar. in Plaistow, June 22, 1751. - Plaistow, N. H. report of town clerk to N. H. Vital Records Department, State House, Concord, N. H. Another similar Plaistow card was the marriage of "Robert" Greenough and Edna Knight, about 1736; followed by "Note, Nov. 27, 1735 - Information given by Charles W. Tibbetts, Moody, Mo." The Plaistow clerk of 1906 had sent in the record. The marriage of Robert Greenough and Edna Knight was in Newbury, Mass.

In the Secretary of State's office, State House, Concord, N. H. is a copy of the Salem, N. H. town records, and a card catalogue index to them. They show that "wid Mary Greeno" was taxed in 1762 for the 1761 minister's rate tax; and she continued to be taxed until the last record I noticed was made Dec. 4, 1764, when she is again called "wido Mary Greeno". In between her name was spelled "Greenough" and "Greenough". Salem had a rich variety of spellings for the family name from first to last, with "Greeno" perhaps the favorite. Allen "Greenno" was taxed in 1759; Daniel Sr. and Daniel, Jr.

In 1756. The last tax on Daniel Greenough was dated Dec. 29, 1760, which shows further that his death came after that date. Once the spelling was "Greenoge", and "Gronoh", and twice "grene"; as well as the norm of "Greenough".

Sarah Greenough and Aaron Copp married in Salem, May 22, 1785; and their first child was named "Daniel Greenow Copp". I doubt her having been that daughter Sarah baptized April 7, 1748, daughter of Daniel Cr., but think the probabilities very strong that she was the daughter of Daniel, Jr.

The person who had copied the Salem, N. H., records for the Secretary of State's office had copied the name as "Hannah Greene" for the bride of the May 15, 1760 Salem marriage of Moses Merrill. It was believed in the office that this was erroneous, a not very unnatural blunder from the spelling "Greene" of the original record as given by two different town clerks of I think 1903 and 1905, one to the Vital Records Department of the State. If the name had been Greene it is practically sure that the 1760 record would have spelled it "Green". There is no record of either Greens or Greenes in Salem prior to the soldier Ebenezer Green of 1776 or 1777, and his young family. And the earliest next record of a Green was about 1796. In addition, the great granddaughter of the marriage in question, someone who probably never saw Salem or its records, stated that her great grandfather was Moses Merrill and her great grandmother was Hannah Greenough. This point is discussed in some typed records I have given on this Moses Merrill family. See also "A Merrill Memorial", by Samuel Merrill, 1917 - 1923, only twenty-five copies, and those gifts to prominent libraries.

Page 10. Epps Greenough of Portsmouth, N. H. bought Portsmouth land, May 9, 1769 (vol. 97, p. 36).

Oct. 12, 1765, Temperance Greenough is mentioned in the will of Thomas Wibird of Portsmouth, N. H.

Page 10. Robert³ Greenough (Robert,² Robert¹), of Newbury, Mass. and Plaistow, N. H., born Nov. 21, 1712; mar. Nov. 27, 1735, Newbury, Edna Knight. Feb. 24, 1746 (vol. 32, p. 410), Robert Greenough of Haverhill district buys land in that district (Plaistow and vicinity) of Benjamin Gale (wife Hannah) of Haverhill, Mass. Jan. 20, 1755 (vol. 47, p. 311) Robert Greenough of Plaistow (Plaistow) bought land there of Jonathan Whitaker of Plaistow. June 27, 1757 (vol. 54, p. 321) Robert Greenough deeds same land to Whitaker. April 24, 1760 (vol. 92, p. 407) Robert Greenough of Plaistow buys land there of Humphrey Emery of Kingston. May 26, 1762, Robert Greenough of Plaistow is administrator of the estate of Richard Knight (Robert's father-in-law). March 27, 1765 buys land there from Ebenezer Copp of Hampstead. March 31, 1767 (vol. 90, p. 107) Robert Greenough of Plaistow sells land there to Job Eaton. June 30, 1767 Robert Greenough of Plaistow made his will, and it was allowed Dec. 30, 1767. It begins: "I Robert Greenough of Plaistow" .. "Shoe Maker", and makes bequests: (1) to Edner, his wife; (2) daughter Hepzibah Greenough; (3) son Moses Greenough, to be executor; (4) daughter Edner Preston; (5) son Richard Greenough; (6) ~~same~~ daughter Eunice Greenough, to be paid when she is 18, or married; (7) to grandson Robert Greenough Preston. Signed, Robert Greenough. Wit.: Stephen Hayes, James Little, John Knight. When the will was made, Robert was of Plaistow; but by the time it was probated, Atkinson had been formed and the estate was "of Atkinson or Plaistow."

The births of the six children of Robert³ and Edna (Knight) Greenough are given on the Plaistow, N. H. town records; and reported by its clerk to the Vital Records Department, State House, Concord, N. H., as follows:-

Hepsibah, b. August 23, 1737; d. after June 30, 1767, and ^{at that date} then unmarried
 Moses, b. April 21, 1740; d.
 m. (1) Jan. 28, 1772, Elizabeth Calfe; (2) Dec. 10, 1789, Sarah Underhill
 Edna, b. July 9, 1743; d. after June 30, 1767
 m. before 1767, - Preston
 Richard, b. August 9, 1746; d. November 17, 1834, Salisbury, N. H. as 88 years;
 m. (1) Elizabeth Hoag; (2) June 23, 1811, Susanna Shirley
 Eunice, b. December 22, 1749; d. July 8, 1753, Plaistow, as 3 yr., 6 mo., 16 da.
 Eunice, b. September 20, 1754; d. after June 30, 1767
 m. about 1780. Enoch Richardson of Hampstead, N. H.?

See page 12. It is now clear that the Plaistow petition of Sept. 13, 1764, signed by Robert and Moses Greenough ^{who} were father and son, above; the same who signed the Dec. 1766 petition. And the Dec. 3, 1767 (as I have it dated) signed by Robert, Moses, and Richard Greenough, is doubtless again the father, Robert, and his sons Moses and Richard, the last named being now of age; and the date which may be the date of presentation to the legislature, indicates that the father, Robert, who made his will June 30, 1767, did not die long before it was probated Dec. 30, 1767, as would be expected; probably died the early part of December.

The above Moses Greenough (Robert ³⁻²⁻¹), born April 21, 1740, was styled Captain Moses by 1739. He appears to have remained in Plaistow-Atkinson practically all his life, probably on the farm of his father. But there is a Salem, N. H. warning-out-of-town that it appears must apply to him and his first wife, and that indicates some residence not clear to me. He married (1) Jan. 28, 1772 (one record seems to make the year 1771), in Atkinson supposedly, Elizabeth Calfe, of Chester. The Salem, N. H. warning is: "March 11, 1772 warn out of town - Moses Greenough & Elizabeth his wife who came from the to- of Caporpos to this town some time in the month of february last." Perhaps the young couple tried to begin by settling in "Caporpos" (if this is the right interpretation of the name), and found conditions in the winter too severe, and went to Salem instead of back to Atkinson because Salem offered the more convenient place.

Moses ⁴ Greenough (Robert ³, Robert ², Robert ¹) of Plaistow and Atkinson, N. H. born, April 21, 1740, Plaistow record, perhaps born Newburyport, Mass. died,

mar. (1) January 28, 1772, Atkinson, N. H.
 Elizabeth Calfe

born,

died, October 24, 1773, Atkinson, N. H.

He mar. (2) December 10, 1789

Sarah Underhill of Chester, N. H.

born,

died,

Children, born Atkinson, N. H.:-

Elizabeth, b. October 28, 1772; ^{mar 1798. Robert March of Haverhill}

Edna, b. October 10, 1774; ^{mar 1795 or 6 Josiah Gains Peabody of Plaistow}

Lois, b. February 3, 1777;

Moses, b. March 31, 1791;

m. Dec. 17-1823. Atkinson. Mary D. Noyes

John, b. November 1, 1792; d. September 30, 1879, Atkinson, N. H., a widower;

m. Dec. 31-52. With Lewis of Londonderry, N. H.

Robert, b. December 30, 1794; d. August 9, 1864(?), Atkinson, N. H.

m.?

Richard, b. July 29, 1799; d. August 2, 1874, Atkinson

m. October 23-1832. Hannah B. Towle, of Framenston, N. H.

The first part of the paper is devoted to a general discussion of the problem of the origin of life. It is shown that the problem is one of the most important and most difficult in the history of science. The author discusses the various theories of the origin of life, and shows that the most plausible is the theory of spontaneous generation. This theory is based on the fact that life is a complex of many different parts, and that these parts are all found in the same place, and in the same form. This is a strong argument in favor of the theory of spontaneous generation.

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 born, March 31, 1791, Atkinson, N. H.
 died,
 mar. December 17, 1823, Atkinson
 Mary D. Noyes of Hampstead, N. H.
 born,
 died,

Children, born Atkinson, N. H.:
 Edward Noyes, b. October 16, 1824;
 Sarah Ann, b. September 3, 1832;

⁵John Greenough (Moses⁴, Robert³, Robert², Robert¹) of Atkinson, N. H.
 born, November 1, 1792, Atkinson
 died, September 30, 1873, Atkinson
 mar. December 31, 1823,
 Ruth Davis of Londonderry, N. H.
 born,
 died,

Children:
 Elbridge Gerry,⁶ b. 1823, Boscawen, N. H.
 Charles Carroll, b. 1830, probably Atkinson
 Matilda Jane, b. 1844, " "

⁵Robert Greenough (Moses⁴, Robert³, Robert², Robert¹) of Atkinson, N. H.
 born, December 30, 1794, Atkinson
 died, August 9, 1864 (1), Atkinson
 mar.

Note:- As I read the Atkinson report to Concord of the death of this Robert⁵ Greenough, I was not sure that the year was 1864. It stated that this Robert was born in Atkinson, the son of Moses Greenough who was born in Newburyport, Mass., and of his wife Sarah Underhill, born Chester, N. H. While the 1740 birth of Moses⁴, the father of this Robert⁵, is on the Plaistow records, I think it highly probable the birth was in Newburyport. Card states that Robert was married.

⁵Richard Greenough (Moses⁴, Robert³, Robert², Robert¹), of Atkinson, N. H.
 born, July 29, 1799, Atkinson
 died, August 2, 1874, Atkinson
 mar. October 23, 1832

Hannah B. Towle of Franconstown, N. H.
 born,
 died,

Children:
⁶Milly Towle, b. 1833
 Gilman, b. 1835
 Edwin Lawson, b. 1841

The Atkinson report to Concord of the death of John⁵ Greenough, son of Capt. Moses⁴ and Sarah (Underhill), gives the date as Sept. 30, 1873, and age as 86 years, 4 months. According to the birth record, he lacked only one day of being 87. Similarly, the record for the death of John's youngest brother, Richard⁵, on Aug. 2, 1874, gives his age as 75 years and 4 months. Perhaps the card, or I in copying the record, erroneously made the record 4 months instead of the correct 4 days.

Moses Greenough and Abigail Knight, both of Atkinson, mar. there Aug. 20, 1773. It is difficult to know what Moses⁴ this refers to. According to the record I have, the first wife of Capt. Moses⁴ of Atkinson did not die until two months later.

Moses Greenough and Eunice Kimball mar. Oct. 19, 1734, Hampstead, N. H.
 Their children born there: Francis Kimball, b. May 12, 1735; Mary Little, b.
 July 6, 1737; Betsey Kimball, b. July 6, 1737. What Moses was this?

"John Kuzzey 1714 - 1737. "They lived at first in Fladstow, now Atkinson,
 on a farm opposite the home of Frank W. Greenough, on the 'last road', " etc.

April 4, 1763 (vol. 100, p. 481), N. H. Historical Society:- Robert Green-
 ough, through the agent for Boscawen, deeded Boscawen land to John Fowler of B.
 And May 31, 1763 Robert Greenough connected with Boscawen.

Aug. 21, 1772 (Hansua, N. H., vol. 4, p. 470), Richard Greenough of Fear,
 Hillsborough Co., yeoman, bought 50 acres of Dunbarton land of Robert Hogg
 of Dunbarton, in Lot 17, 2nd range. Wit.: John Church, James Hogg. Signature
 ackn. Aug. 5, 1777. Price 400 pounds.

Aug. 24, 1773 (vol. 8, p. 223), Richard Greenough of Dunbarton, N. H., yeoman,
 sold Dunbarton land to John White of Haverhill, Mass., for 1200 pounds.

Parker Greenough of Bedford (or Bradford), Essex Co., Mass., bought land
 in Salisbury, N. H., Nov. 1797.

Thomas Greenow in Winchester, N. H. as a July 2, 1753 grantee.

Marriages (additional)

Benjamin Greenough &	Mary Hifflin, Jan. 27, 1824, Portsmouth, N. H.
Epes "	Aurelia Still, both of Portsmouth, July 17, 1809
Epps "	Mary Hilton, May 31, 1807, Portsmouth
Capt. James "	Eliza E. Mather, March 28, 1811 "
John "	Nancy Foster, Sept. 30, 1803, Canterbury
" "	Mary Bridge, Sept. 4, 1820, Boscawen
" "	Betsy Weeks, April 2, 1797, Greenland
Joseph "	Eliza J. Kelley, 1834, Concord; he of Boston; she, Hopkinton
Parker "	Catherine W. Plummer, Feb. 4, 1817, Kingston
Richard "	Sarah Clough, June 24, 1810, Canterbury
Robert "	Sally Jackman, Feb. 18, 1800, Boscawen
Samuel "	Polly Loud, April 1794, Portsmouth
" "	Margaret Frost, April 13, 1797, New Castle
" Jr. "	Susan Gates, 1816, Portsmouth
William "	Lucy Bartlett, 1817, Rumney
" "	Mehitable Hills, 1838. He of Rumney
Capt. " "	Mrs. Sally Gunnison, Jan. 31, 1803, Portsmouth. He of Newburyport, Mass.

Deaths

Brackett Leavett Greenough, d. June 1, 1887, Hanover, ae 87 - 4 - 15, son of
 Brackett L. He was b. Salisbury, N. H.

Henry P. Greenough, d. Dec. 13, 1852, Boscawen

Joseph " d. March 3, 1871, Hopkinton?, ae 68 - 9 mo. b. Newburyport, Mass

Mary Lock " d. May 3, 1867, Newington, ae 63; born Portsmouth

Nancy " d. March 19, 1819, Boscawen, ae 38

Johnathan L. " d. June 16, 1836, Canterbury, ae 72 - 4 mo.; born Canter-
 bury, son of Richard and Sarah (Clough)

Robert Greenough, d. June 21, 1853, Canaan, ae 34 - 5 mo.

Richard Greenough, b. Sept. 1, 1736, Haverhill, Mass., to Canterbury, N. H.
 where mar. Sarah Clough. Children:- Joseph Clough, b. Sept. 21, 1812; Sarah C.
 b. Oct. 19, 1815; Lurana C. b. Oct. 6, 1817; and doubtless others?

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